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AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

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SUBJECT: BREZHNEV TRAVEL PLANS

1. AT MARCH 28 COUNCIL, FRG PERMREP ( KRAPF) NOTED NEWSPAPER REPORTS CONCERNING CALL BY AMBASSADOR SAHM ON BREZHNEV MARCH 26. KRAPF SAID THAT MEETING WAS AT FRG INITIATIVE FOR PURPOSE OF DELIVERING LETTER FROM BRANDT. LETTER DISCUSSES POSSIBILITY OF VISIT BY BREZHNEV TO FRG, FOLLOWING UP ORAL INVITATION AT OREANDA IN SEPTEMBER 1971. LETTER DID NOT SPECIFY A DATE BUT ENVISAGED A VISIT BEFORE SUMMER RECESS. CONTRARY TO PRESS REPORTS, KRAPF SAID THAT SAHM DID NOT TALK ABOUT CSCE AND MBFR.

2. SYG LUNS THEN TURNED TO AMBASSADOR RUMSFELD AND ASKED IF HE HAD ANY INFORMATION AS TO TIME OF BREZHNEV VISIT TO US. RUMSFELD REPLIED THAT HE HAD NO INFORMATION AND THAT WHITE HOUSE WOULD BE SOURCE OF ANY ANNOUNCEMENT. COMMENT: SAME QUESTION CAME UP AT PERMREP LUNCH MARCH 27, AT WHICH AMBASSADOR RUMSFELD SAID HE HAD NO INFORMATION ON BREZHNEV VISIT AND, LIKE OTHER VISITS, IT WOULD BE ANNOUNCED WHEN FIXED. AFTER LUNCH, DE STEARCKE COMMENTED TO AMBASSADOR RUMSFELD THAT THE COUNCIL IS INTERESTED IN THE BREZHNEV VISIT AND RECALLED THAT PRIOR TO PRESIDENT NIXON'S MOSCOW SUMMIT, HILLENBRAND AND ROGERS HAD CONSULTED  
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WITH THE COUNCIL. DE STEARCKE SAID HE HOPED THERE WOULD BE AN APPROPRIATE DISCUSSION IN THE COUNCIL, AGAIN, ON

ANY MATTERS OF INTEREST. END COMMENT.

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